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London, Aug. 8.—Continuous fighting continues at Verdun and on the Somme River front. The Germans have the present advantage at Verdun and the ententes on the Somme front.

The Germans gained a footing in Chateau Wood, which recently has changed hands often, but sustained heavy losses in repulses in other places, according to Paris.

Along the Isonzo several lines of entrenchments were carried by Italians, who took 3600 prisoners. Vienna admits the lost ground was only partly recovered.

Naval Engagement Reported
Berlin, Aug. 8.—An engagement between Austrian and Italian warships occurred August 2, following a raid on the Italian coast by Austrian torpedo boats. The Vienna official statement says the Italian warships were struck and that the flotilla retreated. The Austrian vessels were not harmed.

MILKMEN STRIKE IN SAINT LOUIS

Nine Hundred Milk Wagon Drivers Out in St. Louis—Police Called on to Guard Plants.

(By Associated Press.)
St. Louis, Aug. 8.—The milk dealers association today declared a lock-out against approximately 900 wagon drivers who had voted to strike. The dealers called on the police to guard their plants and they expect to continue their wagons by the use of non-union drivers.

TWO SUBMARINES NOT SIGHTED AGAIN

Portland, Me., Aug. 8.—No further trace has been reported of the two submarines that were sighted yesterday. Their identity and destination are still a mystery.

NO PROGRESS MADE IN BIG STRIKE

Conference Between Roads and Brotherhoods Adjourned to Tomorrow.

(By Associated Press.)
New York, Aug. 8.—The question of whether the railroads are willing to grant the demands of the four brotherhoods for an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime, or submit to a strike, was presented to the managers of the railroads today, after the count of the strike vote was finished. The vote is overwhelmingly in favor of a strike. The roads gave no definite answer and the conference adjourned until tomorrow to give the roads further time. A. B. Garretson of the Conductors said they were ready to consider modified demands if presented by the roads.

STREET CAR STRIKE SETTLED IN N. Y.

(By Associated Press.)
New York, Aug. 8.—A normal service on most all of the important lines was resumed this morning as the result of a settlement of the strike last night.

SENATE AGREED TO ARMY BILL

Besides Appropriation, Bill Provides for Maintenance of Reorganized Army and National Guard.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Without debate the Senate today agreed to the conference report on the army appropriation bill carrying \$267,597,000, and the maintenance of the reorganized regular army and the national guard.

NEWSPAPER PLANT DAMAGED BY FIRE

Plant of Morning Daily News at Corsicana Suffers Heavily as Result of Fire This Morning.

(By Associated Press.)
Corsicana, Texas, Aug. 8.—The newspaper plant of the Corsicana Morning News suffered a heavy damage early this morning by fire. The Morning News is practically a new paper in Corsicana, only having been running a few months.

FOURTH CUT MADE IN CRUDE OIL

(By Associated Press.)
Shreveport, La., Aug. 8.—The fourth cut of a dime a barrel on light crude oil production since the 25th of July was announced this morning by the Standard Oil Company.

MEXICAN SITUATION GRADUALLY CLEARING

Carranza Willing to Treat on Other Matters Following Settlement of Border Matter.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The Carranza government wants to treat the border situation first by the proposed joint international commission, but is willing that other matters be discussed later. Ambassador Arredondo so outlined the Mexican attitude to acting Secretary Folk today, who took the information to the cabinet meeting. This indicates the State Department is satisfied and it is believed the call of the ambassador removes the last obstacle to the appointment of the American commissioners for the conference.

Washington Accepts.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The administration has decided to accept Carranza's suggestion for a discussion of differences and will appoint a commission.

TRAIN HITS AUTO TWO ARE KILLED

Deputy Sheriff Henry Benoit and Corporal Frank Bromley Victims of Collision at New Braunfels.

(By Associated Press.)
San Antonio, Aug. 8.—Corporal Frank Bromley of the Third Illinois Infantry, and Deputy Sheriff Henry Benoit were killed Sunday night when a train struck an automobile in which they were riding. The accident occurred at New Braunfels. Corporal Bromley was a Spanish-American war veteran.

BRYAN WON NEXT MEETING.

Palestine, Texas, Aug. 8.—The Palestine District Conference of the negro Methodist Church came to a close Sunday night after a four days' session.

Bryan, Texas, was selected as the meeting place next year.

PRESIDENT URGES HOUSE TO ACCEPT

Wilson Today Urged Senate and House Conference to Induce House to Accept Senate's Program.

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Aug. 8.—President Wilson today urged the leaders of the Senate and House conference on the naval bill to induce the House to accept the Senate's provisions for a larger building program and an increased personnel of the navy. The president was told that a vote on the conference report would be taken next Tuesday.

W. J. COULTER TO NEW YORK.

Mr. W. J. Coulter, of the W. J. Coulter Company, dry goods, left this afternoon for New Orleans, from which point he will sail tomorrow afternoon for New York City to purchase goods for his firm. Mr. Coulter expects to spend about 10 days in buying goods at the Eastern market, and after a few days spent in other Eastern cities he will return home by the same route. Mr. Coulter said this morning that owing to the good roads work and the city street paving that has been in progress the past several weeks that his business has been far better than in any summer lately. The past few days he has been making trips over the county taking a look at the crops, and said that he was going to report to Wall Street when he reached New York that Brazos County would be ready in a very short time to furnish her part of the cotton to keep the wheels of commerce rolling. "If we don't make a bumper crop this fall there is no use ever trying again," said Mr. Coulter.

TWO MEN KILLED BY LIGHTNING

(By Associated Press.)
Blackwell, Okla., Aug. 8.—Lewis Hart and Lee Ingle were killed here this morning by lightning. Hart was just recently married.

WILL RAISE FUND TO RE-ELECT WILSON

Statewide Canvass is Planned by Committee in Houston to Raise Funds for Wilson Campaign.

(By Associated Press.)
Houston, Texas, Aug. 8.—A committee of prominent Texas Democrats, headed by R. B. Ridgeway of Fort Worth, met here yesterday to make plans for a statewide canvass for a fund to be used in the Woodrow Wilson campaign for re-election on November 7. Ridgeway is the chairman of the Democratic Campaign Fund Committee for Texas. The proceeds of the Texas campaign will be turned over to the National Democratic Executive Committee. Every democrat of Texas is expected to contribute a small amount, it is announced.

Members of the committee are: John H. Kirby, Houston; Frank C. Davis, San Antonio; J. J. Simmons, Dallas; W. A. Wroe, Austin; I. J. Wortham, Fort Worth, and Allen D. Sanford, Waco.

REPUBLICANS HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION

Nomination of Partial State Ticket, Including Congressmen and U. S. Senator is Being Done.

(By Associated Press.)
San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 8.—Republicans of Texas are holding their convention here today for the purpose of nominating a partial state ticket, candidates for Congress and United States Senator and presidential electors, to be voted on in the general election of November 7.

Candidates for the more important state offices will be nominated, according to Chairman P. E. Bear of the Republican party in Texas. The nominations will then be certified and placed on the official ballot.

Under the provisions of the Terrill election law the Republican party in this State comes under the head of those parties for whose candidates for governor "receive less than 100,000 votes, and more than 10,000 votes in the last preceding general election." In such a condition, the law states, that party may either nominate its candidates in a primary or in state convention. The latter method was chosen this year, as in the past.

PAVING BASE COMPLETED.

The concrete base for the paving on West Anderson Street was completed this morning. A large force of workmen has been on this street now laying the base for three weeks. The actual paving will start in a few days.

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**BRYAN PARTY SAW
TERRIBLE ACCIDENT**
Party of Bryan Young People in the Car Which G. C. Locke Tried to Pass When He Was Killed.

Last Sunday afternoon George C. Locke, a prominent banker of Lake Charles, La., who was in an automobile with two other men enroute to Galveston from Houston was instantly killed when his car tried to pass another automobile going in the same direction. It was learned this morning from G. M. Bittle of this city who returned home from Houston last night that the car the banker's tried to pass was one belonging to Jarrel Boyles of Houston, and was loaded with Bryan young folks of which party he was a member. In describing the accident this morning young Bittle said it was the most horrible thing he had ever witnessed in his life. He said the Boyles car which was ahead of the banker's was going about thirty or thirty-five miles an hour and the big car came up behind them and without ever sounding a warning tried to dart by at a speed of at least forty or possibly forty-five miles an hour. The Boyles car pulled just a little to the left to let them pass and just as they were beside them the big car struck soft dirt, gave a lurch and turned completely over twice. Mr. Locke's head was crushed and his brains oozed out and was not recognizable to the other two men. The Boyles car was stopped and they picked up the two other men, who were very seriously injured, and carried them on to a hospital at Galveston while part of the party remained with the dead man until friends could get there.

Mr. Bittle has been in Houston since Saturday in company with some other Bryan young people attending a house party at the home of Jarrel Boyles.

NATIONAL SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION MEET

Annual International Sheriffs' Association Meeting is Opened at Oklahoma City.

(By Associated Press.)
Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 8.—The annual meeting of the International Sheriffs' Association opened here today for a three days session. Several hundred peace officers were expected to attend from all parts of the country.

The program, as announced, deals with questions in criminology and handling problems common to peace officers in the several sections of the country.

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